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Dear Harold,

Many thanks for your good help on Tippit.

Here's the Ruby chapter.

1) You once mentioned that the ASPCA was after Ruby, or something like that, concerning his treatment of his dogs. Can you give me something on that? I understand he enjoyed masturbating the dogs in front of others, or somesuch. I don't want to get into that, but I need some docs for what I have written in the chapter. Just if you have a general idea about the cites.

2) Anything new in the New Orleans field office files on HAROLD TANNENBAUM, OR JANET CONFORTO? (JADA?) I would like to elaborate on them if I had something more. I would greatly appreciate any help.

3) Has anything ever come up from the field files showing how the FBI thought Oswald might have gotten from New Orleans to Houston? They must have put a lot of time into trying to figure that out. I know you don't like to speculate, but what is your best guess on how Oswald made that leg of his trip?

4) You made reference in your notes on my Tippit chapter that four of the five casings found at the scene came from Oswald's pistol--and that one did not. (I'm not looking at your notes and may have it a bit off.) Can you tell me more about that? I don't find anything in the original evidence suggesting this--or, at least, that which is published. Is this something new?

With every good wish to you and Miss Lil, I remain,

Cordially yours,

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PS - we've enjoyed the tea!